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THE FAIR

The Pocahontas County Fair is in full blast this week. The attendance Monday and Tuesday was well up to the average for beginning dates. The sale of seats and tickets was greater than ever before; a 100 per cent sale being reported. If the ideal weather continues the attendance promises to beat all previous records.

The exhibits are of the highest order in every department. While in some departments the entries may not be as numerous as heretofore, the quality is the highest. The people now know how to prepare and exhibit things.

The household exhibits are the wonder of the world. Also the old time exhibit.

Among the special exhibits is that of the F. S. and Game Commission—a couple of bears, wild cats, deer, foxes, pigeons, etc.

Mention must be made, too, of the exhibit of the Industrial Department of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway. It is a "creation", as one intelligent farmer remarked as he admired it.

The stock barns are full of the finest sheep and cattle in the land. The Short-horn predominates this year, with the Leeds of Wilton Brothers, Fossifer Farm and K. H. Williams. Mr. Coyner of Waynesboro is here with a fine lot of blacks, Aberdeen Angus. A fine herd of Holsteins from Rockingham county are on exhibition, too.

As for sheep, it looks like this farmer that the quality of the exhibits was never so good here. A C. Barlow has a fine show; there are a fine lot of sheep from Upshur county; and as usual F. W. Canaday, of Middleburg, Ohio, is there with his great exhibit of sheep. And by the way one of his choicest is a Dorset buck which he bought as a lamb from our local dealer, A. C. Barlow.

Tuesday was Levels District Day, and under the leadership of Miss Dora Gray Kennison fine entertainment was given. Wednesday, today, is Greenbank day, and Thursday, Huntersville. Friday is Edray day and an elaborate historical pageant has been prepared for Friday night by the Edray District Players, "The Battle of Point Pleasant."

Saturday will be Pocahontas county Day. The old time white pine loggers reunion is set for this day. Carl Frie's model of "Jim" the locomotive in Pocahontas county is attracting much interest.

Secretary of State and Mrs. George W. Sharp are up from Charleston for their home county Fair. Mr. Sharp will deliver the address today, Wednesday, at the annual "Home Coming."

GIBSON—WAUGH

Mr. Lloyd Waugh and Miss Flossie Gibson, both of Marlinton, W. Va., were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage at Bridgeport, Ohio, on Tuesday, August 7, 1928. The ceremony was performed by the Methodist minister of Bridgeport, Rev. Fredrick W. Hoss. Immediately after the ceremony they motor back to Marlinton where they will spend a short time with friends and relatives. They are both residents of Marlinton and are well known and liked by a host of friends who wish them the best of luck and happiness.

The bride is a graduate of the Edray District High School and at the time of her marriage was employed as stenographer in a Real-estate office in Wheeling. The groom has been employed for some time by the Union Tanning Company of Marlinton.

After a short visit with friends and relatives here, they expect to make their future home in Covington, Va.

HILLSBORO

Mrs. W. M. Irvine of Huntington is visiting here.

Mrs. W. A. Browning and daughter, Miss Josephine and son William, left the first of the week to join Mr. Browning and Miss Lina at Beckley. L. V. Ruckman is occupying the house vacated by them.

Miss Dice Smith returned Friday from an extended visit to Franklin, Warrenton, Va., Royal Oak, Md., and Washington, D. C.

Miss Hazel Newman, assistant cashier of the Bank of Hillsboro, spent the week end with home folks at Huntersville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. LaRue were in Roane county last week visiting with relatives.

Miss Sallie Jones of Franklin, is visiting at the home of A. R. Smith.

H. L. Callison, manager of the South West Virginia Maytag Co., Roanoke, Va., was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Margaret LaRue has as her guests Miss Addie Cokley, of Glenville and Miss Amie Hall of Buckhannon.

Rev. A. B. Shifflet of Gap Mills, preached at eleven o'clock Sunday at Oak Grove.

W. J. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Kemper, and Mrs. Mamie Jackson Myers, of Kerr, Ohio, arrived on Sunday afternoon to visit friends and relatives and attend the Fair. They left their home near Gallipolis before day Saturday, expecting to drive to Marlinton by noon, but the muddy stretch of road between Frankford and Renicks Valley delayed them a couple of hours.

Bull For Sale

A two year old dairy bull, bred half Jersey—half Guernsey. From registered stock on both sides. Price reasonable—E. H. Landis, Mill point, W. Va.

CREAM STATION

The Fairmont Creamery Company has established a cream station at the Pocahontas County Farm Bureau Service Company's warehouse with J. W. G. Smith as local representative.

Cream, sweet or sour, will be received by Mr. Smith every week day, in lots of two gallons or more. He will run tests on Tuesdays and Fridays, and checks will be mailed on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Two years ago the Farm Service Company began to develop the cream shipping business, and there has been a gradual growth in the business. The trouble has been heretofore that only those farmers who had enough cows to gather a five gallon can of cream in three or four days could make shipments economically.

With the establishment of the cream station, the farmer with a cow or two will have a profitable market for his cream.

There are decided advantages in selling cream rather than churning it into butter. The butter maker is limited to the local market, limited at best and always over supplied. There is an unlimited demand for cream, either sweet or sour, in the market of the world, for ice cream and butter. The output of cream is limited by the number of cows the farm will support and the number the farmer can milk and care for. The output of butter is limited by the strength of the housewife and the demand of the local market.

The present price for unburned butter fat is around forty five cents a pound. This is considerably more than the present price of butter, when sale can be found for it at all.

The Fairmont Creamery Company is one of the biggest dairy industries in the country. They have but recently come into the Greenbrier Valley. Cream stations have been established at Hinton, Talcott, Alderson, Gap Mills and other points.

This is the beginning of what this editor hopes will grow into a great industry in Pocahontas county. Everyone who has given a moment's thought to the matter knows that we must look to the dairy industry for prosperity. The low price of beef cattle the past several years has meant hard times, and right now there are thousands of acres of the finest grass with no cattle on it, that should be bringing in a big weekly check for the cream it could produce.

POCAHONTAS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. Paul Mason and little son, were well enough to leave the hospital Friday and go to the home of her mother, Mrs. Wilbur Clark.

Mrs. Sam Barlow and baby, left for their home at Dunmore, Sunday.

The many friends of the Rev. Mr. Bowen, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will be glad to know that he was well enough to be removed to his home Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Cleek of Hillsboro, who has been in hospital for treatment, shows some improvement.

Mrs. Emily Wells of Beards, who had a very serious operation for gallstones several weeks ago, is able to sit up, and will be allowed to return to her home sometime this week.

Mrs. Esterline Johnson, an aged woman who has been an inmate of the Pocahontas Memorial Hospital for several years and who has been so seriously ill, is again able to sit up in her chair.

Miss Hazel White of Minnehaha Springs, who was brot to the hospital with what looked like a bad case of fever, is very much improved.

Mrs. Wm. Hebb, a well known woman who lived in the vicinity of Marlinton, was operated on last Saturday, Aug 18th, for gallstones, she reacted at first, but steadily grew worse and at last succumbed Monday at 8:35 a. m.

Miss Mae Waugh of Hillsboro, a well known young woman in her community, was allowed to leave the hospital after an abdominal operation three weeks ago.

Miss Lillian Hannah of Edray, continues to improve after an operation.

Lanty Hoggett, who was brot to the hospital some weeks ago for treatment is improving and will soon be able to leave the hospital.

Preston Rexrode of Minnehaha Spring, who has been in ill health for several months, was admitted to the hospital for treatment last Saturday.

Miss Mary Katherine Spith, student nurse, who has been visiting her parents at Dunmore, returned to the hospital Monday night.

Sheridan Moziz of Cass, who was sent to the hospital for treatment last week, is feeling much better.

Ellis Daugherty—a colored domestic, living in Marlinton, who had a very serious operation was able to leave the hospital Monday.

An automobile party from Lacerne Missouri, composed of J. R. Kellison, his sister Mrs. Sallie Young, Mrs. C. S. Putnam and Allan Hill, came back to Pocahontas for the Home Coming at the Fair. This is Mr. Hill's first trip back to his native county in 58 years.

Rev. H. H. Orr, Mrs. Mary Collins, Miss Priscilla Collins, Miss Virginia Spidenrecker and Rev. Mr. Wise, all of Richwood, passed through Marlinton on Monday, enroute to the Bible Conference at Massanetta Springs, Virginia.

Mrs. Shaffer, of Elkins, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed C. Moore.

CHURCH NOTES

Marlinton Presbyterian Church
Rev. K. V. Bowen, Minister
Bible School 9:45
Christian Endeavor 7:15 p m
8:00 p m. Union Service at the Methodist Church.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 p m.

Marlinton Methodist Church
Rev. S. R. Neel, Pastor
Sunday School 10:15 a. m.
A. S. Overholt Supt.
6:45 Junior Epworth League
1:15 p m. Senior Epworth League
1:00 a. m. Preaching
8:00 p m. Union Service: Sermon by Rev. M. P. Calhoun.

HUNTERSVILLE CIRCUIT
Mack Thomason, Pastor
11:00 a m. Mountain Grove
3:00 p m. Mt Carmel
3:00 p m. Minnehaha Springs

Episcopal Church—Morning Prayer and Sermon 11 a m
Sunday School attendance last Sunday—Methodist, 280; Presbyterian, 167

All spring and summer Joe Shary and Brown Wilcox have been minding a string of bear traps on Cranberry. In the month of May they caught a fine lusty bear. When the old big bear of the mountains—three legged one—got in one of the pens, the trap fell on him, but he was so big and strong that it failed to crush him down, and he backed out. A few days later this bear got in again, and he was able to come from that place by twisting the heavy trap door aside. On last Wednesday Brown Wilcox made the weekly trip to the pens. At the pen at the end of the switch in the Last Run country he between the two totes Cranberry he found two cub bears. He shot one and the other made off in the woods. It was found that the old mother bear was in the pen. She was a big brute; some three hundred pounds in weight. The fur was in prime condition, strange to say.

Fayetteville, W. Va.—J. Alfred Taylor, Democratic Nominee for Governor, was honored by the visit of 250 Kanawha county enthusiasts at his Fayetteville home on Sunday, August 19th. Popping space was in demand in the little town of Fayetteville as the Kanawha Counties began to arrive in large numbers.

Mr. Taylor had just returned late Saturday night from a tour of the northern part of the State and the proposed bill was unknown to him. Benches were placed on the lawn and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor made each and everyone feel welcome.

Many women joined in the pilgrimage to Fayetteville to pay their respects to the gubernatorial candidate and to assure him of their admiration and support. No speeches were made other than an expression of appreciation by Mr. Taylor for the thoughtfulness and loyalty of his friends.

Monday morning will find Mr. Taylor on his way again. The county fairs are opening up, there being two and three each week until the middle of October, and it is Mr. Taylor's intention to visit as many of these fairs as possible.

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If parents will have their children memorize a Bible selection each week, it will prove a priceless heritage to them in after years.

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Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Giles Sharp deceased, will present the same properly proven to the undersigned administrator at his office at Onoto, W. Va. All persons indebted to said estate will prepare to settle at once.

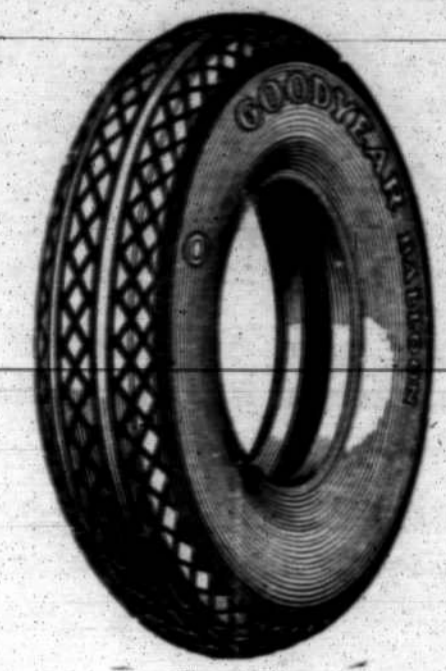
This 20th day of August, 1928.
Porter Sharp, Adm.
Estate of Giles Sharp, deceased

For Sale

I will sell for sale at my home one mile from Dunmore the following property on Sept 1 at one o'clock: 1 good milk cow to be fresh soon, 1 buck sheep, 2 old turkeys, 2 hens, 1 gobbler, 11 small turkeys 2 bedsteads 1 set of chairs, 1 Singer sewing machine, 1 Foster range, 2 table 20 yds home made carpet, 1 five gal stoves churn, and other things too numerous to mention.

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BAXTER'S GARAGE
Marlinton, W. Va.

Bernard Harrison, Arthur Morton, Wm. H. Marlen, Carl F. Schmitz and Joseph Shriver, all of Cumberland, Maryland, are here to attend the Pocahontas County Fair.

H. Kelmerson returned last Thursday from Baltimore. He says the best piece of road between Marlinton and Baltimore is between Marlinton and Frost.

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